UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Plaintiff

v. 21-CV- 923

\$49,888.09 SEIZED FROM BANK OF AMERICA ACCOUNT NO. 375022063898, HELD IN THE NAME OF ALI ZEINEDDINE D/B/A LASSA LOGISTICS LLC, and

\$7,024.96 SEIZED FROM BANK OF AMERICA ACCOUNT NO. 375017199406, HELD IN THE NAME OF ALI ZEINEDDINE D/B/A LASSA LOGISTICS LLC.

Defendants.

ARREST WARRANT IN REM

TO: THE UNITED STATES MARSHALS SERVICE OF THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK AND/OR ANY OTHER DULY AUTHORIZED LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER:

WHEREAS, a Verified Complaint of Forfeiture has been filed on 8/12/2021 in the United States District Court for the Western District of New York, by James P. Kennedy, Jr., United States Attorney, on behalf of the United States of America, plaintiff, alleging that the defendant property is subject to seizure and forfeiture to the United States pursuant to 18 U.S.C. §§981(a)(1)(C) and 984.

YOU ARE, THEREFORE, HEREBY COMMANDED to arrest and seize the defendant property, and use discretion and whatever means appropriate to protect and maintain said defendant property; and

YOU ARE FURTHER COMMANDED to provide notice of this action to all persons thought to have an interest in or claim against the defendant property, and that you promptly, after execution of this process, file the same in this Court with your return thereon.

All persons asserting an interest in the defendant property and who have received direct notice of the forfeiture action must file a Verified Claim with the Clerk of this Court pursuant to Rule G(5) of the Supplemental Rules for Admiralty or Maritime Claims and Asset Forfeiture Actions, thirty-five (35) days after the notice is sent; or if notice was published but direct notice was not sent to the claimant or the claimant's attorney, a claim must be filed no later than thirty (30) days after final publication of newspaper notice or legal notice or no later than sixty (60) days after the first day of publication on an official internet government forfeiture site; or within the time that the Court allows, provided any request for an extension of time from the Court is made prior to the expiration of time which the person must file such verified claim. In addition, any person having filed such a claim shall also serve and file an answer to the complaint or a motion under Rule 12 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure within twenty-one (21) days after filing the claim, and any person having timely filed such claim and answer must appear before this Court, at Buffalo, NY on _______ or () on a date determined by the Court.

Supplemental Rule G(5) provides in pertinent part: "The Claim must: (A) identify the specific property claimed; (B) identify the claimant and state the claimant's interest in the property; (C) be signed by the claimant under penalty of perjury; and (D) be served on the government attorney designated under Rule G(4)(a)(ii)(C) or (b)(ii)(D).

All persons asserting an interest in the defendant property are required to file a Claim in the Clerk's Office and to answer the Complaint within the times above fixed: otherwise, judgment by default will be filed for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Claims and Answers are to be filed with the Clerk, United States District Court for the Western District of New York, 2 Niagara Square, Buffalo, New York 14202 with a copy thereof sent to Assistant United States Attorney Grace M. Carducci, 100 State Street, Suite 500, Rochester, New York 14614.

This warrant is issued pursuant to Rule G(3) of the Supplemental Rules for Admiralty or Maritime

WITNESS THE HONORABLE
Lawrence J. Vilardo

DATE 8/16/2021

CLERA Tricia M. Frisa

Returnable 75 days after issue

United States Marshals Service's Return

DISTRICT	DATE RECEIVED	DATE EXECUTED
US MARSHAL	(BY) DEPUTY MARSHAL	